

## Concord.

## Death of Sylvester Moody.

Our community was shocked and saddened Thursday by the death of Sylvester Moody, who though very ill, was not expected to pass away so quickly. In his death Concord loses a much respected citizen and a man whose place it will be hard to fill.

Mr. Moody was born at Charleston, Jan. 24, 1854, being the son of John and Mary (Clay) Moody. He was one of 11 children, being next to the youngest. Only four of the family survive him: Two sisters, Mrs. Martha Allen of Westmore and Mrs. Helen Newell of Springfield, Mass., and two brothers, James Moody of Enfield Center, N. H., and John Moody. His early life was spent in Charleston and East Burke. He was married Nov. 25, 1880 to Miss Lizzie M. Chase who with a daughter, Verna Louise, survives him. For several years he was a druggist at East Burke and later he went into the jewelry business there. He came to Concord 23 years ago and opened his jewelry store in Brand's block. Later he moved into the rooms occupied by H. S. Randall, and when L. S. Richards built his block he was the first to occupy the rooms on the second floor. Twelve years ago he bought the building he occupied as a residence and store. He was a workman of the first class and his repair business was very extensive. He was conscientious and honest in his dealings and always genial and courteous to his patrons. He had been chorister of the Universalist church choir for years, and at the time of his death, was Senior Warden of Moose River Lodge, No. 82 F. & A. M., town treasurer, and assistant town clerk. He was a respected member of the Y. P. C. U. and of Adah Chapter, O. E. S. He was a kind husband and father and a very useful citizen. He stood ever ready to help others as far as was in his power to do so and was a man we could ill afford to lose.

Funeral services were held from the Universalist church Sunday morning, Rev. Grant Van Blarcom officiated. In respect to his memory, there was no service held at the Methodist church. Rev. M. H. Smith made the prayer, Mr. and Mrs. May sang, Moose River Lodge, No. 82, F. & A. M., chapter, O. E. S. and the Y. P. C. U. sang a body of songs. There was a great profusion of beautiful flowers. The choir rail and his chair in the choir were beautifully decorated with flowers and the Y. P. C. U. colors, blue and white. He was buried under the Masonic orders in the new cemetery. Much sympathy is extended to the bereaved family. Those here to attend the funeral were: Mrs. Helen Newell, Springfield, Mass., D. W. Allen, Barton Landing, Mr. and Mrs. Barnard Hoyt, Lyndon, Mr. Emma Baxter, Rochester, Mass., Charles Nichols, West Burke.

## School Reunion.

The annual reunion of the school taught by Frank C. Grant in the winter of '60-'61 was held at the school house at South Kirby last Saturday. There were 15 pupils present of the 36 original ones, who with their families and friends made up a party of 80 who enjoyed the day's festivities. The old scholars present were Mrs. Ira Lewis, Mrs. Helen Burroughs, Mrs. Chandler Walter, Leis Young, Lyndon; Mrs. Charles Owen, East St. Johnsbury; Edson and Henry Ranney, Frank Forsaith, St. Johnsbury; Arthur Forsaith, Ellery Ford, Gardner, Me.; Frank Cobleigh, Lyndonville; Murray Noyes St. Johnsbury; Gilbert Noyes, Lancaster; Austin Noyes and Marshall Joslin, Kirby. In the 47 years since that memorable winter, only nine of the 36 pupils have passed on to that "higher school." Mr. Grant opened the day's program with reading the same scripture from the same Bible that he used that first morning, and made a short prayer. A social time was enjoyed after this and a picnic dinner served. In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Harry May sang two old selections and interesting remarks were made by the various ones present, among them being Albert Chase of Boulder, Col., Hoa John Walbridge, F. T. Forsaith, of St. Johnsbury, Mr. and Mrs. Elisha May of St. Johnsbury, and several of the pupils. These remarks were interspersed by jokes and songs by Mr. Grant, who though 72 years old was the youngest one in spirit. Mr. Grant was a veteran of the civil war and has an enviable record. He spent nearly four months in Andersonville prison and was one of the first to drink of Providence spring, which bubbled up in that veritable hell Aug. 20, 1874. As a boy he walked from East Concord to Concord Center, a distance of six miles twice a day to attend a term of school taught by Hon. Sam Page of Woodsville. He was a most excellent teacher and was town superintendent of schools for many years. This was the eighth reunion of this school; the first was held in 1900; the second in 1901 and since then every year. Mr. Grant's home is now in California and he came across the continent to be present at this occasion. Visitors from afar who attended this reunion were George Gilbert of California, Albert Chase of Boulder, Col., and Mr. and Mrs. Ellery Ford of Gardner, Me.

The bridge near the Ranney farm, has been condemned and a new one will take its place.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jethro Lilliecar recently entertained Mr. Cary of Zanesville, Ohio, and Miss Lou Breiding and mother of Lunenburg.

Mrs. Cora Bailey is at Cassius McGregor's, where she went to care for Mrs. McGregor, who suffered a stroke of paralysis and died Saturday.

Lilliecar Bros. were at Lunenburg last week, where they placed a fine monument on the Cushman-Breiding lot.

Mrs. Hoamer Smith spent a part of last week with Mr. Smith in Victory.

Mrs. Samuel Ruggles and daughter of Lyndon Centre were recent guests of Dr. and Mrs. R. T. Johnson.

Ed. Higgins has sold his house to Burt Sampson, and has moved his family into the Dudley house, vacated by Mr. Sampson.

George Weeks of South Newbury has recently visited his sister, Mrs. R. T. Johnson.

Mrs. Lelia Piper and daughter, Grace, who have spent the past few weeks with relatives here, left Tuesday for their home in Epping, N. H.

Seven from here enjoyed the excursion through the Crawford Notch last Wednesday.

Mrs. Sophia Guild spent the past week with relatives at St. Johnsbury.

Rev. and Mrs. A. B. Enright, Mrs. Gardner Balch and Mrs. Florence Dodge of Lunenburg were in town last week to attend the Sunday school convention.

Alonso Owen and grandson, Charles Owen, who have spent a part of the summer at Albert Owen's, have returned to their home in Melrose Highlands, Mass.

Mrs. Helen Burroughs, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Burroughs in Topsham, Me., has returned home.

Mrs. J. C. Taylor of St. Johnsbury spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Gero.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellery Ford and daughter of Gardner, Me., are visiting relatives in town.

Mrs. Susan Tilton of Colebrook, N. H., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tilton.

A. J. Lyon has been buying cider apples of the farmers to ship to the city markets.

The ladies of the L. B. society will serve their annual chicken pie supper at the Methodist church, Oct. 9.

Mrs. Helen Bryant of Lawrence, Mass., was a recent guest at Julius Brigham's.

Miss Fanny Olcott, who has spent the past few months at Ellsworth Williams', has returned to her home in Medford.

The ladies of the Universalist church will hold their annual sale October 16. They will serve dinner at noon. The sale will open at 2 o'clock. Refreshments and entertainment in the evening.

Miss Etta Harvey has returned from St. Johnsbury and will work for Mrs. L. M. Moody through the millinery season.

Judge O. B. Cutting and Sheriff Charles Powers are at Guildhall this week attending court.

Mrs. O. D. Adams of St. Johnsbury visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Pike, last week.

Mrs. G. B. French is spending a few days with her aunt at Fairfield.

Mrs. Angeline Judevine is at Guildhall this week.

Mrs. L. M. Moody holds her millinery opening Friday and Saturday, Oct. 10 and 11.

Miss Josie Belden of St. Johnsbury spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Belden.

The Magazine Club held its annual meeting last Tuesday, and Mrs. Harry May was re-elected secretary.

Miss Mabel Chickering spent Sunday at her home in St. Johnsbury.

Mrs. Harriet Ford, who spent the past week with friends in Lunenburg, spent Sunday with Mrs. L. M. Moody.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pratt entertained the Chase family at a dinner party last Tuesday. Those present were: Mrs. Sophia Guild of Walpole, N. H., Albert Chase of Boulder, Col., Mrs. C. E. Wadleigh, Mr. and Mrs. George Chase of St. Johnsbury, Mr. and Mrs. John Walbridge and Miss Winifred Walbridge. It was a very enjoyable occasion.

A delegation of 10 members from Woodbury Corps, No. 5, W. R. C., attended the district meeting at St. Johnsbury Thursday, and reported a very pleasant and profitable session.

Willard Brewer left last week for Burlington where he entered the U. V. M.

Mrs. E. A. Gray spent the past week with relatives in Wolcott.

Mrs. C. E. Wadleigh of St. Johnsbury and Mrs. Susan Hunter of Lowell, Mass., were recent guests at John Pratt's.

Mrs. D. A. Pike has been very ill the past week, but is slowly improving. Mr. Pike was also ill and unable to attend to his work at St. Johnsbury.

Miss Florence May and Miss Sadie Carriock of St. Johnsbury were recent guests of Mrs. Harry May.

The many friends of E. W. Wright, the first principal in the Judevine Memorial School, but, now, principal of the Old Orchard High School, will be interested to know that his daughter, Miss Eleanor M. Wright, has made her debut on the American stage, and is travelling in the West, with the "Quincy Adams Sawyer" company.

The Modern Woodmen will hold their second annual field day on the common Saturday, Oct. 5. Dinner will be served in the town hall at noon. Various sports will make up the afternoon's program and the St. Johnsbury Centre Band will furnish music. There will be a dance in the evening, with Madame Brock's orchestra for music.

The many friends here of Rev. Q. H. Shinn, were grieved to hear of his death at Medford Hillsdale, Mass., in September. Mr. Shinn was a half brother of Rev. L. F. Portney, a former pastor of the Universalist church, and had visited Concord many times.

The annual convention of the Essex County Sunday School association was held at the Methodist church Tuesday and Wednesday of last week. It was a very profitable session and among those who attended from abroad were the county president, Rev. C. W. Kelley, now of Sheffield, Rev. E. G. French of Lyndonville, president of the Caledonia county organization, Presiding Elder Lewis of the St. Johnsbury district, State Secretary Fuller and Miss Edith M. Balch, field worker for the state organization.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to the many friends who have so kindly assisted us during the sickness and death of our loved one, and to all those who so kindly sent such lovely tokens of sympathy, and also to the different societies to which he belonged.

Mrs. Clara Bailey and Alex. Bailey spent several days last week at Lyndon.

Mr. Robinson from Beachmont, Mass., is visiting at Gardner Kenerson's.

Howard Hebblethwaite came to his mother's Saturday noon.

Miss Sarah A. Hand had the misfortune to fall, Friday afternoon, and break her right arm about half way from her elbow to her shoulder. Miss Mabel Darling is caring for her, and she is doing well at present.

Scott Darling's family have moved into their new house at South Peacham, though the house is not completed.

The Methodist social at Mark Wheeler's, Thursday, was well attended, about 40 being present.

Among those who came from out of town to attend the Hebblethwaite-Bayley wedding, Tuesday evening, are Miss Elizabeth Barker from Deal Beach, N. J., Luther Bayley from Northfield, Mass., Elsie Hooker from Hyde Park, Mass., and Mrs. Stewart, a sister of Dr. Parker, and her daughter.

Read the Barnet news for notice of the entertainment course.

The W. C. T. U. held a mother's meeting Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Alzina Esden at East Peacham. Owing to several unavoidable circumstances the attendance was small—the absence from town of some, illness of the president, and other causes. Tea was served.

Miss Guy seems a little better.

William V. McLochin goes this week to Iowa to spend some time with his brothers, hoping to regain his health.

Burt Wilson is acting as clerk in Charles Hutchinson's store at South Peacham.

Mrs. Edmie H. Bailey has sold one section of her long barn to Irvin Hobart, and he is taking it down.

Remember the auction of Chas. S. Smith's farm, livestock and household furniture at Danville Saturday at 9 a. m.

Low Rates to the West.

Commencing Sept. 1st and until October 31st the Wisconsin Central Ry. will sell tickets from Chicago to points in Montana, Idaho, Oregon and Washington at reduced rates. Inquire of your nearest ticket agent or write to Wm. Kelley, D. P. A., W. C. Ry., 290 Broadway, New York City.

GREENSBORO.

Mrs. A. S. Cook with Miss Mildred and Master Sidney returned to their winter home in New Haven, Conn., Friday.

Mrs. W. S. Rossiter and daughter Marjorie left town Friday for Washington, D. C.

Fred Barnard went to Boston Saturday.

Harley Marden started for Boston Saturday morning.

N. J. Brown and L. S. Collins returned from Newport Thursday, being excused from jury duty until Oct. 21.

Mrs. Emma McKinley of Lowell, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Myra D. Chase.

Mrs. Evans returned to her home in Randolph Monday.

Ephraim Hartson and family have been visiting in Lyndonville for a few days.

Harry Dow has been in Springfield, Mass., on business for a few days.

Mrs. Mary Kearnan of Philadelphia is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Dr. Kinney.

Mrs. Dufur returned from the St. Johnsbury hospital Thursday.

Miss Alice Sanborn came home from the St. Johnsbury hospital Friday, but was obliged to return Saturday for further treatment.

B. H. Sanborn and wife closed their cottage Monday and went to Boston.

Many from Greensboro went to the "world's fair" at East Hardwick Saturday and report a good time despite the rain.

B. L. Austin of Johnson visited at F. A. Goodrich's last week.

Mrs. Charles Simmons and Mrs. Ned Kaiser of Stowe have been spending a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Melvin.

Mrs. Gertrude Jackson visited in Hardwick Thursday.

Mrs. H. S. Tolman visited her sister in Hardwick Friday.

L. A. Jackson was in Barre on business Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. A. B. Debrune visited friends in Barre last week.

Report of Caspian Lake Creamery for the month of August:

Pounds of milk received,	59788
Pounds of cream received,	64351
Total,	124139
Pounds of fat from milk,	2508
Pounds of fat from cream,	15745
Total,	18253
Pounds of butter made,	20730
Gain per cent,	13.6
Average milk test,	4.19
Average cream test,	24.47
Paid patrons churn test,	24.8 cents
Paid patrons oil test,	29.2 cents

Charles and Mary Bailey returned to Vt. University last week.

BARNET.

Mr. and Mrs. James Morgan and daughter, Barbara spent three days in Cabot last week.

William Morrison is taking his annual vacation, and has gone to Detroit, Mich., to visit his sister.

Guy Burbank from New York city spent last week with his father, W. H. Burbank.

Mr. and Mrs. John Welch spent several days with their daughter, Ruth, at North Haverhill, N. H., last week.

Milo Gibson, who spent the past summer in Germany, has been engaged to teach in the Edmunds high school at Burlington.

News has been received here of the death of James Mills, near Worcester, Mass. He was a former resident here, and the husband of Miss Jennie Clement.

The Village Entertainment Society have decided on their annual entertainment course, which will consist of four numbers. The first attraction will be Oct. 26th, and will be the Honolulu Students direct from the Hawaiian Islands. There are seven people in this company, and they will furnish vocal and instrumental music. Hon. George D. Alden, lecturer, and a concert company are two of the numbers, and the other will be announced next week. Instead of soliciting the sale of the season tickets, as heretofore, the committee have decided to place them on sale at

the store of W. H. Burbank & Co. for one week, from the 14th to the 19th inclusive, and in order to give out of town patrons a chance, the tickets will not be placed on sale till the afternoon of the 14th at 1 p. m. The committee have also decided to sell the seats separately, so that the holder of a season ticket will be entitled to the same seat throughout the season.

Prize Offer Cancelled.

Last June a resident of Barnet sent a circular letter to every teacher in town, except the primary, asking for individual volunteers from the highest grade to enter a prize speaking contest at the town hall some evening during October. A price of at least \$15 was to be raised by subscription to be divided among the winners who were to be decided upon by competent judges and all arrangements for a good time were being made. Although the plan was approved by the state superintendent of education, district superintendent, and chairman of directors, as well as most of the parents and some of the teachers, to whom the writer extends his appreciation and gratitude, yet this benevolent scheme was doomed to utter failure, meeting with indifference at the hands of one director and objection by the other, and total disregard by many of the teachers. On account of a lack of interest and cooperation on the part of such teachers and officers the project must ignominiously die. The intended revival of the lost art of declaiming in our public schools in Barnet has met with inglorious defeat. Why is it.

J. S. T. W.

BRADFORD.

Miss Eva Johnson of Bellows Falls is visiting Mrs. Farnham.

Mrs. Walter Low and three sons of New York are visiting her mother, Mrs. David Blakeley.

Mrs. K. K. Wilson visited in St. Johnsbury last week.

Mrs. C. C. Bayley and Carl Bayley are visiting in Rutland.

Mrs. C. E. Clark left Monday for a month's visit in Bad Axe, Mich.

Miss Lena Allen has returned from a week's vacation spent in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Johnson returned Monday from a week's visit in Springfield, Mass.

Last Sunday was Rally Sunday at the Congregational church. Dr. Morse preached a very strong sermon in the morning on "Civic and Religious Loyalty." There were special exercises in the Sunday school, which were very interesting and in the evening Dr. Morse preached the first of a series of five sermons taken from the story of the revival son.

Rev. and Mrs. Dixon left Friday for their new home and work in Oklahoma.

Miss Sadie Noyes finished work in the New England telephone office Saturday.

Mrs. Annie Jones spent Sunday with relatives in Wells River.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Libbey have been spending a week in Laconia.

Mrs. Harry Wiswall of Somerville, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Blanche Carlton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Humphrey have returned from a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Marion Leavitt of Stoneham, Mass., visited Mrs. Arthur Hale last week.

Miss Florence Crafts left Wednesday for Lexington, Kentucky, where she has a position as teacher in a normal school.

Mrs. James George left last week in company with Mrs. Albert Corliss, who have been visiting in this vicinity, for San Francisco, to spend the winter with her son, Herbert George.

A reception was tendered Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Morse at the Congregational church parlors Friday evening, which was largely attended. The rooms were prettily decorated and dainty refreshments served. An interesting musical program was carried out consisting of solos and selections by the orchestra.

The annual district meeting of No. 6, W. R. C., met here Wednesday with a good attendance, many coming from out of town. The work of the corp here was highly complimented by the visitors, of whom Mrs. Kate D. Lee of Wells River, department president was one.

Nelson Veazey, died Sunday, Sept. 22, aged about 80 years. He had for several years been suffering from a cancer in his mouth. Mr. Veazey has been a familiar figure on our streets for a good many years, having lived here since 1862. He is survived by one brother.

David S. Derby passed away at his home on the South road last week Tuesday night, heart disease being the cause of his death. The funeral was held at the home Friday afternoon, Dr. C. E. Morse officiating. The G. A. R. used their funeral service at the grave. Mr. Derby having been a member of Washington Post. Mr. Derby leaves a wife and a daughter.

George Shortleaves, a carpenter at the paper mill, had one of his eyes seriously injured Thursday. He was boring a hole over his head and in line with his eye and in removing the bit the stock slipped off and the bit fell striking his glasses and driving the glass into the eye. He went to St. Johnsbury to the hospital for treatment. It is thought he will not lose his eye.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Frost returned Saturday from their wedding trip.

Miss Susie Bedell was in town a few days last week.

Mrs. Charles Wilson has been quite ill the past week and is still confined to her bed.

The store here was entered by burglars last Monday night, the safe blown up, and about \$60 taken by the thieves. No clue has been found.



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## LUNEBURG.

Mrs. Charles Spaulding visited friends in St. Johnsbury last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrow received their friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Curtis last week Tuesday evening. A good number were present, and several valuable gifts were presented by Dr. Breiting. The best wishes of all were bestowed on the young couple.

Miss Lulu Breiting has gone to Boston to remain several weeks with friends.

Miss Ellen White returned to her home in Boston, Monday.

George E. Kimball from Massachusetts has been engaged to teach the high school, and began work Monday morning.

Mrs. Josiah Benton is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. George Balch.

Miss Nina Zimmerman has returned from Newfane, where she has been for several weeks.

The Lunenburg Manufacturing Co. are setting poles to light the village with electricity.

Mrs. Karl Balch returned from her trip the middle of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morrison have moved to a tenement in Harris Phelps' house.

Mrs. Flora Fletcher of Newport, N. H., was here for a short time last week, going from here to visit her sister, Mrs. Lowrey, at Northumberland.

The Ladies' Aid society met with Mrs. Eugene Powers on Baptist Hill, Friday afternoon.

The drama "Little Brown Jug" was played in the hall, Friday evening, for the benefit of Hill Top Grange. The hall was well filled, and the play passed off entirely to the satisfaction of all. It is to be repeated this week Friday evening, at the close of which dancing will be indulged in.

A Young Mother at 70.

"My mother has suddenly been made young at 70. Twenty years of intense suffering from dyspepsia had entirely disabled her, until six months ago, when she began taking Electric Bitters, which have completely cured her and restored the strength and activity she had in the prime of life," writes Mrs. W. L. Gilpatrick, of Danforth, Me. Greatest restorative medicine on the globe. Sets Stomach, Liver and Kidneys right, purifies the blood, and cures Malaria, Biliousness and Weaknesses. Wonderful nerve tonic. Price 50c. Guaranteed at Flint Bros., and F. G. Landry's drug stores.

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## EAST BURKE.

Rev. and Mrs. D. G. Guest go to Island Pond this week.

Walter Wheeler of St. Johnsbury Center is visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Counter.

Fred Farmer has been